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Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated December 5, 2001, submitted herewith are the following:

- Basic filing fee
- Declaration and surcharge
- Assignment and coversheet
- Preliminary Amendment
- Substitute Specification and marked-up version showing changes made
- Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and cited references
- Certified Priority Document – German Application No. 100 58 475.6 filed November 24, 2000
- Copy of Missing Parts Notice dated December 5, 2001

Applicants: Johannes HEINRICH et al.
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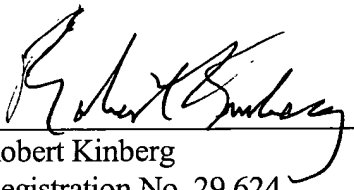
Basic Filing Fee (\$740/370)	\$740.00
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A check in the amount of \$910.00 is attached. Should no remittance be attached, or should any greater or lesser fee be required, please charge or credit our Account No. 22-0261 and advise us accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.**

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